GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

LA - NAOB - Constitution of State Level Coordination Committee for Acquisition of additional land for Project Varsha at Rambilli, Visakhapatnam District and for early finalization of Land Acquisition issues in respect of Indian Navy / Ministry of Defence – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (LAND ACQUISITION) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 571 Dated: 13-06-2017

Read the following:-

1) D.O.Letter No.DGV/1/1034/Project Brief/6355-F/RM/16, dated 21-12-2016 from Shri Manohar Parrikar, Minister for Defence, Government of India, New Delhi, addressed to the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh.
2) Letter No.DGV/4(II)/0140/Addl-Gen, dated 29.09.2016 of the Vice Admiral, VCNS Secretariat, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.
3) From Sri C.P.Sudhakar, Commodore, Project Director & i/c, PIMT (Rambilli), Project Varsha, C/o Fleet Mail Office, Visakhapatnam, dated 20.04.2017.

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ORDER:

In the DO letter 1st read above, the Hon'ble Minister for Defence while discussing about the land acquisition issues has informed that for early finalization of all land acquisition and local issues and for holistically addressing various concerns of the local populace, a State Level Coordination Committee may be constituted as has been requested by Vice Chief of Naval Staff, and requested to prove the requisite impetus for resolution and settlement of above issues.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the Vice Admiral, VCNS Secretariat, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi, has informed that Indian Navy has acquired 4636 acres of land at Rambilli, Visakhapatnam District for the strategic "Project Varsha" and Board Proceedings for acquisition of additional 2416 acres of adjacent and contiguous to initially acquired land, for safety and security of the strategic infrastructure is in progress and also informed that in a similar case of land acquisition for Indian Navy's Project Seabird at Karwar, a State Level Coordination Committee (SLCC) with members from various stake holders was constituted by the Government of Karnataka and the Indian Navy/Ministry of Defence. While defining the following advantages has informed that the Project at Rambilli is presently at a critical juncture and Resettlement & Rehabilitation or other acquisition related issues could lead to undesirable financial setback and time delays. Keeping in view the strategic nature of the Project, it is recommended that we constitute a State Level Coordination Committee for early finalization of land acquisition issues as also addressing various genuine concerns of the local populace and requested the Government for consideration of the proposed State Level Coordination Committee:-

(a) Harmonious and expeditious resolution of land acquisition.
(b) On spot decisions by empowered members on multifarious related issues thus preventing protracted and unnecessary correspondence.
(c) Holistically addressing the genuine requirements of the local populace with reference to providing compensation, employment etc.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, the Project Director & i/c, PIMT (Rambilli), Project Varsha, C/o Fleet Mail Office, Visakhapatnam has send proposals for constituting the State Level Coordination Committee for acquisition of additional land for Project Varsha at Rambilli, Visakhapatnam District.

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4. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby constitute the State Level Coordination Committee for early finalization of all land acquisition and local issues and for holistically addressing various concerns of the local populace for the strategic "Project Varsha" with the following members and the Committee look-after the frequency of meeting can initially be fixed as quarterly and can be subsequently modified as required and the Project Director & i/c, PIMT (Rambilli), Project Varsha, C/o Fleet Mail Office, Visakhapatnam will co-ordinate and convey the meetings :-

(1) Chief Secretary to the Government of Andhra Pradesh	...	Chairman
(2) Flag Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Eastern Naval Command	...	Co-Chairman
(3) Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue Department	...	Vice Chairman
(4) Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Andhra Pradesh	...	Member
(5) District Collector Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(6) Superintendent of Police (Rural), Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(7) Joint Collector, Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(8) Conservator of Forests , Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(9) Principal Director Defence Estate, Southern Command, Pune	...	Member
(10) District Government Pleader, Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(11) Joint Director Fisheries , Visakhapatnam	...	Member
(12) Special Deputy Collector (Land Acquisition), Yelamanchilli	...	Member
(13) Any other State members deemed necessary by the Chairman	...	Member
(14) All members from Indian Navy and Defence Estate Department as deemed necessary by FOC-in-C (East).	...	Member

5. The District Collector, Visakhapatnam is requested to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (I/C)

To
The Chief Secretary to the Government, Andhra Pradesh, Velagapudi.
The Flag Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Eastern Naval Command, Visakhapatnam.
The Special CS & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration,
Andhra Pradesh, Gollapudi, Vijayawada.
The Principal Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The District Collector, Visakhapatnam
The Superintendent of Police (Rural), Visakhapatnam
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The Special Deputy Collector (Land Acquisition), Yelamanchilli, Visakhapatnam District.
The Project Director & i/c, PIMT (Rambilli), Project Varsha,
C/o Fleet Mail Office, Visakhapatnam.
Copy to:
The VCNS Secretariat, Ministry of Defence, New Delhi.
The Home Department.
The Energy, Forest, Science & Technology Department.
The Animal Husbandry, Fisheries & DD Department.
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